A RESOLUTION

BY: COUNCILMEMBERS MICHAEL BOND AND JIM MADDOX
AS SUBSTITUTED BY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT/HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY OF ATLANTA TO WORK IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE URBAN LAND INSTITUTE TO PURSUE QUALITY ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN PARTNERSHIP WITH NEIGHBORING JURISDICTIONS WITH REFERENCE TO DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES SORROUNDING HARTSFIELD INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS the Urban Land Institute is a nationally recognized organization that assists local governments and private sector entities on research and analyzing issues that relate to long term economic and community development issues; and

WHERESAS the City of Atlanta participated in an Urban Land Institute (ULI) Advisory Services panel study of regional economic development opportunities for Hartsfield International Airport the City of Atlanta and surrounding jurisdictions during the period July 23-28, 2000; and

WHEREAS the ULI subsequent report noted that this study represented the first time that seven municipal and two county governments had come together to work toward their common interest concerning economic development around the airport; and

WHEREAS the government, business, and community leaders of this area hope to find practical workable ways in which their communities can share in the prosperity that the Atlanta metropolitan region is projected to experience over the next twenty years.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, RESOLVES AS FOLLOW:

<u>SECTION 1</u>: The City of Atlanta agrees to work aggressively and in partnership with its neighboring jurisdictions to pursue quality economic and community development opportunities with regards to the Hartsfield International Airport growth and expansion.

<u>SECTION 2</u>: All resolutions and parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby rescinded.